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S. 97

To amend the Job Training Partnership Act to provide authority for the construction of vocational education and job training centers for Native Hawaiians and Native American Samoans, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 4, 1995

Mr. INOUE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. CONSTRUCTION OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION**
2 **AND JOB TRAINING CENTERS FOR NATIVE**
3 **HAWAIIANS AND NATIVE AMERICAN**
4 **SAMOANS.**

5 Title IV of the Job Training Partnership Act is
6 amended by inserting after section 401 (29 U.S.C. 1671)
7 the following new section:

8 **“SEC. 401A. CONSTRUCTION OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION**
9 **AND JOB TRAINING CENTERS FOR NATIVE**
10 **HAWAIIANS AND NATIVE AMERICAN**
11 **SAMOANS.**

12 “(a) DEFINITION.—As used in this section, the term
13 ‘Native American Samoan’ means a person who is a citi-
14 zen or national of the United States and who is a lineal
15 descendant of an inhabitant of the Samoan Islands on
16 April 18, 1900. For purposes of this section, Swains Is-
17 land shall be considered part of the Samoan Islands.

18 “(b) CONTRACTS.—The Secretary shall enter into
19 contracts with appropriate entities for the construction of
20 education and training centers for Hawaiian Natives and
21 Native American Samoans. Each such center shall provide
22 comprehensive vocational education and employment and
23 training services through programs authorized under other
24 provisions of this Act and the Carl D. Perkins Vocational
25 and Applied Technology Education Act (20 U.S.C. 2301
26 et seq.).”.

1 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

2 Section 3(c)(2)(A)(i) of the Job Training Partnership
3 Act (29 U.S.C. 1502(c)(2)(A)(i)) is amended by striking
4 “section 401” and inserting “sections 401 and 401A, from
5 which the Secretary shall reserve not less than \$5,000,000
6 for fiscal year 1996 to carry out section 401A”.

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